

ST. PETER ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

2ND SUNDAY OF LENT

FEBRUARY 28, 2021



Then a cloud came, casting a shadow over them; from the cloud came a voice, “This is my beloved Son. Listen to him.” Suddenly, looking around, they no longer saw anyone but Jesus alone with them.

Mark 9:7-8

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MASS TIMES

WEEKEND

SATURDAY

4:00 PM (ANTICIPATORY) * SIGNUP REQUIRED*

SUNDAY

7:00 AM, 9:00 AM, 11:00 AM, 6:00PM

WEEKDAY

MON - FRI 12:10 PM

SATURDAY 9:00 AM

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

MONDAY 1PM
THROUGH
THURSDAY 5PM

CONFESSION

SATURDAY 2:00 PM
WEDNESDAY 11:30 AM

OFFICE HOURS

MONDAY—THURSDAY
8:00AM—4:00 PM
FRIDAY
8:00 AM—12 NOON

ANGELIC ACCENTS GIFT SHOP

MONDAY - THURSDAY
10:00 AM -1:00PM
SUNDAY 8:00AM-12:15 PM, 7 PM

	OBSERVANCES	READINGS	MASS INTENTIONS	CHURCH EVENTS
Sunday February 28	2nd Sunday of Lent	Genesis 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18 Psalms 116:10, 15, 16-17, 18-19 Romans 8:31b-34 Mark 9:2-10	7:00 AM +Helen Pape 9:00 AM +Sarah & James DeMaio 11:00 AM People of St. Peter 6:00 PM Destini Machado	8:00 AM - 12:15 PM, 7 PM - Gift Shop Open
Monday March 1		Daniel 9:4b-10 Psalms 79:8, 9 11 and 13 Luke 6:36-38	12:10 PM Marge Cochran	10 AM - 1 PM Gift Shop Open 1:00 PM Eucharistic Adoration Begins 1 PM - 3 PM Food Pantry - School 6:30PM - 7:30PM American Heritage Girls
Tuesday March 2		Isaiah 1:10, 16-20 Psalms 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23 Matthew 23:1-12	12:10 PM ++Carol and Rob Ames	10 AM - 1 PM Gift Shop Open
Wednesday March 3	St. Katharine Drexel, Virgin	Jeremiah 18:18-20 Psalms 31:5-6, 14, 15-16 Matthew 20:17-28	12:10 PM +Marybeth Gerkin	10 AM - 1 PM Gift Shop Open 11:30 AM Confession - Church 6:30 PM Youth Group - Virtual
Thursday March 4	St. Casimir	Jeremiah 17:5-10 Psalms 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6 Luke 16:19-31	12:10 PM +Erminio Cordova	10 AM - 1 PM Gift Shop Open 1 PM - 3 PM Food Pantry - School 5:00 PM Eucharistic Adoration Ends
Friday March 5		Genesis 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a Psalms 105:16-17, 18-19, 20-21 Matthew 21:33-43, 45-4	12:10 PM +Bette Younger	12:30PM - 3:00 PM Quilters - Church Basement 6:00 PM Stations of the Cross—Church Confession—Church
Saturday March 6		Micah 7:14-15, 18-20 Psalms 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-10, 11-12 Luke 15:1-3, 11-3	9:00 AM +Bob Creed 4:00 PM +Gallegos Family	2:00 PM Confession - Church
Sunday March 7	3rd Sunday of Lent	Exodus 20:1-17 or 20:1-3, 7-8, 12-17	Psalms 19:8, 9, 10, 11	1 Corinthians 1:22-25
			John 2:13-25	

Fr. Tomasz's Weekly Reflection

If we were to reflect on the condition of the faith of modern Catholics, we would probably come to the conclusion that they are actually maybe only 25-30% Catholic, and the rest of their beliefs not accurately representing Catholic faith, or sometimes even openly contrary to teachings of the Catholic Church. It happens because the requirements of faith become for contemporary men too difficult, demands too challenging, expectations too high. Meanwhile, in the pursuit of happiness in everyday life, the path of least resistance, even when it comes to faith, is promoted as the way to go.

It's shocking, but it also makes us question if it is still faith or already a heresy, a departure from faith. It's the easiest to analyze it studying our religious practices and their motivation. We go to confession once a year, because it is required by the Catechism. We celebrate Mass every Sunday because Church obliges us to do so. We observe holidays and celebrations out of routine. Where in all of that is our faith? And where is our dedication to God? We need to realize that the satisfaction of our hunger for happiness can only be achieved in the closest relationship with God.

Listening to today's readings about Abraham, who is asked by God to sacrifice his only son, most of us experience mixed feelings, because we have deviated so far from understanding God's love, that we are unable to understand His pedagogy. Our God, who is love, trusts us and in us, but also requires us to trust Him and in Him. He pushes Abraham to his limits, but ultimately never allows him to cross the line. He does that to establish a covenant with mankind, which is fulfilled in His Son. Thanks to Jesus' saving death, we will be able to achieve happiness, but it is not a happiness in a temporary life, but eternal happiness. But the necessary condition is for us to face the challenges God sets before us, rather than run away from them.

On the Mount of Transfiguration, Peter had the opportunity to truly experience this happiness that comes from God, when he exclaimed *Rabbi, it is good that we are here!* The Transfiguration of the Lord reminds us that there is a completely different reality beyond this world and its problems, which we long for. We can come closer to this other reality only by listening to the God's voice and following His commands. Challenging ourselves - if we dare to do it - will bring positive changes, that will allow us to grow in faith and see things that many others do not see. The foundation of that challenge has to be anchored in the trust in God, just like Abraham trusted.

A FRIENDLY REMINDER

When writing a check for the offertory, double check that you have put the correct **year** on it. The bank won't deposit your check if it says 2020. Thank you!



Lenten Schedule

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STATIONS OF THE CROSS

FRIDAYS DURING LENT
6:00 PM IN THE CHURCH
(Confession available)

PENANCE SERVICE

MARCH 4TH 6:30 PM - 8:00 PM
IN THE CHURCH

LENTEN MISSION

SUNDAY MARCH 7 - WEDNESDAY, MARCH 10

FATHER DAVID GUNTER MIC
(MARIANS OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION)

"THE TRIUMPH OF MARY"

**DETAILS WILL BE ADVERTISED
AS SOON AS THEY ARE AVAILABLE.**

BULLETIN SUBMISSION INFO

If you wish to submit something to the bulletin,
email bulletin@stpetergreeley.org.

Submissions for the upcoming Sunday are due
Monday before by noon.

The Miracle of Creation



2021 Virtual Gala
Thursday, March 4th @ 7 pm



Before I formed you in the womb, I knew you.

JEREMIAH 1:5a

Keynote Speaker Dr. Marc Newman

TO REGISTER VISIT

[HTTPS://TESTS4GREELEY.BANQUETSTREAM.COM/EVENT/](https://tests4greeley.banquetstream.com/event/)



FEED THE BEARS

Help feed our hungry Bears !

We need volunteers to fix a meal
to be served on Sunday after the 6 PM Mass.

Specific dates needed are
April 11 and May 2

Call the office 970.352.1060 or
www.StPeterGreeley.org

YOUTH GROUP

Wednesday, March 3rd

6:30pm - 7:30 pm Virtual

Wednesday, March 10th

6:30pm - 7:30 pm Meeting at the Church

Wednesday, March 17th

6:30pm - 7:30 pm Virtual

Email youth@StPeterGreeley.org for link information

Bear Catholic Campus Ministry



Across from the President's Row

info@BearCatholic.com

Upcoming Events

March 2nd - March 4th

Sisters of Life on Campus - Love Life Week

Tuesday, March 2nd

6:00PM - 7:00PM Dinner with the Sisters of Life - St. Peter

7:00PM - 8:00PM Food for the Feminine Heart - St. Peter

Wednesday, March 3rd

6:00PM - 7:00PM Dinner with the Sisters of Life - St. Peter

7:00-9:00pm Fully Alive - Church Sanctuary

Thursday, March 4th

4:45-5:15pm Adoration and Confession at Campus Chapel

5:15-5:45 Mass at Campus Chapel

6:30PM - 8:00PM Penance Service - St. Peter

Friday, March 5th

4:45-5:15pm Adoration and Confession at Campus Chapel

5:15-5:45 Mass at Campus Chapel

6:00—8:00 pm Beloved Women's Retreat - St. Peter

Saturday, March 6th

8:30 PM - 9:30 PM Broomball - Greeley Ice Haus

Sunday, March 7th

6:00pm Mass at St. Peter

Dinner following Mass

www.bearcatholic.com



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PRAYER REQUESTS

PLEASE CALL THE OFFICE TO ADD SOMEONE TO THE PRAYER LIST

Donna Alaniz, Alan Alter, Zane Alter, Chris Aughe, +Michael Barker, Staci Behne, Eleazar and Jennie Bermea, Leonora Bockock, Luce Bonar, Kathryne Bonar, Corrina Cantrell, Conny Casarez, Mike Cervi, +Maria del Carmen Rodriguez, Conny Casarez, Frani Castaneda, Lydia Castillo, Ed Clark, Tommy Debrock, Bill Farmer, Randy Farmer, +Deirdre Forgue, Kay Fortner, Mary Fox, +Jack Garcia, Steve Garcia, Victor Garcia, Jeanette Gau-Moore, Preston Gifford, +Mark Gonsior, Jose and Carmen Gonzalez, Victor Gonzales, Denise Gustafson, Mike and Penny Guttersen, the Guttersen Family, Deacon Bill Hastings, Jean Hawkins, Patricia Hawley, Norman Hellerman, Veronica and +Gary Herbolsheimer, Susie Hergenreter, Margaret Hernandez, Vernie, Jack, Debbie Hill and the Hill Family, Tammy Hughes, Whitman Jones, +Mary Margaret Kauffman, Carol Khun, Jean Koch, Mary Kosmicki, Carolyn Lafferty, Demetrius Langston, +John Limon, Lee Lind, Alicia Lopez, +John Luna, +Manuel Martinez, Maria and Family, Nick Martinez, John McGuire, Rob Minner, John and Yoli Muniz, Cam McKenney, NJ King, Scott Miller Family, Peter Mongan, Donna Olson, Carmen and Alvin Padilla, Helen Pape, Carlos Pena, Robert Perez, Apolinar Ramirez, Carrie Robinson, Joel Redman, Suzanne Reilly, Junior Rodriguez, Andrea and Aaron Romero, Gil Romero, Jackie Rowe, Ryan Ruppel, Olga and Ramon Salazar, Kendall Scheiderer, Barbara Schafer, +Tyson Schaffer, Mildred Skonksner, Nina Sobieski, Mary Solis, Bob and Lorene Steele, +Joe Tennesen, +Daniel Torres, John, Phil and Veronica Underland, Sonny Unrein, +Raymundo Lopez Vicente, Kathryn Wager, Lisa Weisbeck, Rick Whitmus, Tamara Wilkinson, Geraldine Williams, Joe Yates, Zane

February 17 - March 28

40 DAYS FOR LIFE®



Each day during 40 Days for Life, individuals, churches, families and groups are asked to join together in prayer so the entire Body of Christ can unite around a common focus: protecting the unborn and bringing an end to abortion.

People of faith are also invited to fast throughout 40 Days for Life. We believe that when God's people fast with a broken, repentant and contrite spirit, our heavenly Father will hear from heaven and heal our lives, our churches, our communities, our nation, and our world.



Angelic Accents Gift Shop

**Now available Spanish Prayer books
and Spanish Magnificats!**

Now in stock - beautiful Catholic scarves
1st Communion and Confirmation items
Lenten Books and Easter items.

Don't forget the Year of St. Joseph and St. Patrick's Day.

ST. PETER FOOD PANTRY

We are in need of the following items

Spaghetti	Pancake Mix	Cake Mixes
Individual shampoo	Juice	Individual Cereal
Small soaps	Rice	Peanut Butter
Canned Chicken	Chunky Soups	Pasta Sauce

Thank you for your continued generosity!



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Our Troop Meetings are moving to Mondays!

**Girls are invited to join us on
March 1st 6:30 PM in the Church Basement**

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